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The Honorable Doug Ducey  
Governor  
1700 W. Washington  
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Dear Governor Ducey:

Pursuant to A.R.S. §38-294, I give you notice of my intent to resign from the office of Commissioner of the Arizona Corporation Commission effective Monday, January 4<sup>th</sup>, 2016. I have enjoyed working on behalf of the People of Arizona, and am grateful for the opportunity to serve.

The Arizona Constitution in Article XV, §1 and A.R.S. §16-230 direct you to fill the vacancy that results from my resignation. It is my intent to give you time to select a candidate you find suitable as well as time for me to depart my Commission offices over the holiday season.

Please find attached my comments from my announcement this afternoon as well as a copy of the response brief I filed yesterday at the Arizona Supreme Court in response to the Attorney General's quo warranto complaint.

Sincerely,



Susan Bitter Smith  
Chairman